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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of David RUFFIEUX

DIFFERENTIAL OSCILLATOR CIRCUIT INCLUDING AN ELECTRO-

MECHANICAL RESONATOR

Assignee: CSEM CENTRE SUISSE D'ELECTRONIQUE ET DE

Our Ref: Q77578

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation-in-Part Application of pending prior Application No. 10/162,714 (Confirmation No. 6505) filed June 6, 2002 of David RUFFIEUX entitled DIFFERENTIAL OSCILLATOR CIRCUIT INCLUDING AN ELECTRO-MECHANICAL RESONATOR.

Attached hereto is the Continuation-in-Part Application comprising the specification, including the claims and abstract, 3 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-4), and Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

A copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and executed Assignment will be submitted at a later date with the appropriate fees.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence:

This is a Continuation-in-Part of Application No. 10/162,714 filed June 6, 2002; the above noted prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	14	20	=	_ x	\$18.00	=	\$.00
Independent claims Base Fee		3	=	_ X	\$84.00	=	\$.00
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TOTAL FEE \$750.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to



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Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

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June 7, 2001

The priority document was filed in parent Application No. 10/162,714.

The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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